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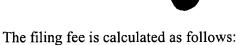
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	No., 1	filed.							
Enc	closed are:								
	[X]	Specification (including Abstract) and claims: 163 pages.							
	[X]	Newly executed Declaration (original).							
	[]	Copy of Declaration from prior application.							
	[]	Separate Power of Attorney (including 37 CFR 3.73(b) statement, if applicable).							
	[X]	15 sheets of drawings (formal) plus one copy.							
	[]	Microfiche computer program (Appendix).							
	[]	Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission, including:							
		[] Computer readable copy [] Paper Copy [] Verified Statement.							
	[X]	Under PTO-1595 cover sheet, an assignment of the invention.							
	[X]	X] Certified copy(ies) of Japanese Application No(s). Hei.11-246183, filed August 3 1999; No. 2000-004948 filed January 13, 2000 and No. 2000-007386 filed January							
12, 2000, are filed:									
		[X] herewith or [] in prior application.							
	[] Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.								
		[] was filed in the prior non-provisional application, and such							
status is still proper and desired (37 CFR 1.28(a));									
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	[X]	Preliminary Amendment. Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449, and cited references.							
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